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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	756	550	595	753	664
Unemployment rate	%	9.4	6.8	7.7	9.7	8.3
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	2 184	2 184	2 248	2 262	-
Taxable individuals	no.	6 351	6 603	6 727	6 834	-
Taxable income	$m	204.7	217.0	238.0	250.8	-
Average taxable income	$	32 239	32 861	35 380	36 695	-
Net tax	$m	41.6	45.5	51.1	53.7	-
Average net tax	$	6 557	6 892	7 597	7 856	-
Average net tax ratio	%	20.3	21.0	21.5	21.4	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	5 329	5 476	5 548	5 594	-
Wage and salary income	$m	157.8	168.4	178.3	186.3	-
Total income	$m	166.8	177.8	191.5	197.3	-
Average wage and salary income	$	29 618	30 761	32 139	33 302	-
Average total income	$	31 300	32 468	34 516	35 268	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	492	484	531	520	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	522	530	504	488	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	708	712	693	699	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	741	770	764	751	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	365	401	445	477	-
Males - Total	no.	2 828	2 897	2 937	2 935	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	372	373	379	378	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	450	423	397	409	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	689	714	699	688	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	743	779	804	794	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	247	291	330	391	-
Females - Total	no.	2 501	2 580	2 609	2 660	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	864	857	910	898	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	972	953	901	897	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 397	1 426	1 392	1 387	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 484	1 549	1 568	1 545	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	612	692	775	868	-
Persons - Total	no.	5 329	5 477	5 546	5 595	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	475	493	502	-
Professionals	no.	-	1 215	1 184	1 220	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	328	326	318	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	679	658	619	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	95	86	77	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	765	803	807	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	359	343	341	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	434	463	468	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	812	810	813	-
Not Stated	no.	-	436	384	431	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	5 598	5 550	5 596	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	692	640	640	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	16.9	15.6	17.6	-	-
Total income	$m	18.1	16.9	19.0	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	24 377	24 398	27 461	-	-
Average total income	$	26 190	26 436	29 721	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	393	360	369	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	8.3	7.2	8.1	-	-
Total income	$m	9.4	8.3	9.5	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	21 195	20 071	21 941	-	-
Average total income	$	23 820	23 184	25 851	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	1 085	1 000	1 009	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	25.2	22.8	25.7	-	-
Total income	$m	27.5	25.3	28.6	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	23 224	22 840	25 442	-	-
Average total income	$	25 331	25 265	28 306	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	804	792	774	765
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	222	246	309	339
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	183	189	207	207
Total businesses	no.	-	1 209	1 227	1 290	1 311
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	150	123	126
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	51	60	54
Total business entries	no.	-	-	201	183	180
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	141	162	129
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	12	9	51
Total business exits	no.	-	-	153	171	180
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	240	246	246	270
Mining	no.	-	9	6	9	9
Manufacturing	no.	-	87	87	84	84
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	3	3	0
Construction	no.	-	168	174	198	192
Wholesale trade	no.	-	42	45	39	48
Retail trade	no.	-	216	207	210	207
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	54	51	54	57
Transport and storage	no.	-	54	48	51	48
Communication services	no.	-	12	9	12	15
Finance and insurance	no.	-	27	24	24	24
Property and business services	no.	-	171	186	222	222
Education	no.	-	21	24	24	21
Health and community services	no.	-	39	42	42	45
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	36	51	42	39
Personal and other services	no.	-	30	24	30	30
Total businesses	no.	-	1 209	1 227	1 290	1 311

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	444	425	431	455	481
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	577	577	556	526	529
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	694	675	661	654	642
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	609	622	620	624	612
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	368	385	411	419	413
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	386	392	360	353	378
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	478	479	466	442	425
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	543	533	546	560	533
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	666	665	629	634	624
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	707	709	706	702	716
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	619	648	682	706	728
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	593	620	644	656	662
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	469	484	504	538	563
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	397	421	421	434	459
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	356	354	358	335	335
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	291	295	298	318	318
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	203	211	204	200	200
Males - 85 years and over	no.	127	134	140	152	160
Males - Total	no.	8 527	8 629	8 637	8 708	8 778
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	448	445	439	450	454
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	603	595	551	548	540
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	599	603	646	629	640
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	504	516	511	507	506
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	303	293	295	306	294
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	336	327	300	289	289
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	473	483	464	452	430
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	572	567	568	564	564
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	697	712	681	695	684
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	656	662	683	680	711
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	691	717	731	743	724
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	570	612	639	669	729
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	486	482	494	522	546
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	418	431	450	470	465
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	368	367	356	355	367
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	372	362	367	353	334
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	270	294	298	286	291
Females - 85 years and over	no.	281	275	283	301	310
Females - Total	no.	8 647	8 743	8 756	8 819	8 878
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	892	870	870	905	935
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 180	1 172	1 107	1 074	1 069
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 293	1 278	1 307	1 283	1 282
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 113	1 138	1 131	1 131	1 118
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	671	678	706	725	707
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	722	719	660	642	667
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	951	962	930	894	855
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 115	1 100	1 114	1 124	1 097
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 363	1 377	1 310	1 329	1 308
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 363	1 371	1 389	1 382	1 427
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 310	1 365	1 413	1 449	1 452
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 163	1 232	1 283	1 325	1 391
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	955	966	998	1 060	1 109
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	815	852	871	904	924
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	724	721	714	690	702
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	663	657	665	671	652
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	473	505	502	486	491
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	408	409	423	453	470
Persons - Total	no.	17 174	17 372	17 393	17 527	17 656
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	11.5
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	0.8
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	6.3
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.1
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.2

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	10.0
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	2.2
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	2.4
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	10.1
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	7.3
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	16.6
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	16.1
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	54.2
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	14.9
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	20.1
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.0
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.2
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	10.6
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.1
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.8
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	13.8
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	2 059
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	207
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	4 447
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	6 709
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 436
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	304
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	1 939
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	549
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	211
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	49
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	4 488
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	13 553
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	2 053
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	9 433
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	4 497
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	57.0
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	7.8
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	35.2
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	32.0
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	20.5
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.6
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	13.9
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	22.8
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	33.1
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	56.4
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	200	191	174	160	158
Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1
Deaths	no.	181	171	152	158	179

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Standardised death rate	rate	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.1	6.1
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	195	90	143	217
Offences against property	no.	-	654	539	602	659
Drug offences	no.	-	43	56	64	36
Other offences	no.	-	163	148	151	227
All offences	no.	-	1 055	833	960	1 139
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	1 136	521	829	1 259
Offences against property	rate	-	3 809	3 121	3 492	3 822
Drug offences	rate	-	250	324	371	209
Other offences	rate	-	949	857	876	1 317
All offences	rate	-	6 145	4 823	5 568	6 606
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	77.3	76.5	76.9	-
Females	years	-	83.2	83.0	83.8	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	136	113	93	126	118
Total dwelling units	no.	148	117	104	131	126
Value of total residential building	$m	20.4	19.7	20.2	27.2	29.4
Value of total non-residential building	$m	12.3	6.3	3.4	3.7	15.3
Value of total building	$m	32.8	26.0	23.6	30.9	44.7
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	271	287	270	314	313
Other vehicles	no.	178	199	238	252	236
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	448	486	508	566	549
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	10 143	10 366	10 592	10 708	10 820
Campervans	no.	81	97	89	97	95
Light commercial vehicles	no.	3 009	3 095	3 156	3 209	3 296
Light rigid trucks	no.	71	74	81	79	82
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	464	467	466	459	450
Articulated trucks	no.	123	126	157	90	94
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	28	27	27	30	32
Buses	no.	83	78	80	78	76
Motorcycles	no.	552	535	533	542	576
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	14 553	14 864	15 182	15 294	15 521
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	591	597	609	611	613
Campervans	no.	5	6	5	6	5
Light commercial vehicles	no.	175	178	181	183	187
Light rigid trucks	no.	4	4	5	5	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	27	27	27	26	25
Articulated trucks	no.	7	7	9	5	5
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	2	2	2	2
Buses	no.	5	4	5	4	4
Motorcycles	no.	32	31	31	31	33
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	847	856	873	873	879
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	5 070	4 580	4 054	3 537	3 077
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	7 372	8 048	8 779	9 408	9 920
Diesel	no.	1 262	1 363	1 464	1 466	1 602
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	850	874	886	882	922
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	81 866.8
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	5 673.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	1.1
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	504.9
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	504.9
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	1 343.5
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	257 429
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	560
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	11 473
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	3 598
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	11	11	11	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	64	61

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	1 528.7

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